

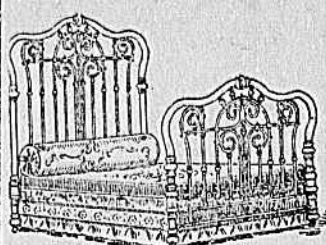
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MASONIC TEMPLE.

Ray Hodges. The party was chaperoned by Mrs. P. J. Malbon. Mr. and Mrs. Dula of Petersburg, are registered at the Monticello. Mrs. Dula was formerly Miss Fath Hope. Miss Marie Woodward and Miss Nurney, of Suffolk, were in Norfolk on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilber left last week to spend several months at Buckroe Beach, where they have taken a cottage. Mrs. Charles W. Galtner, who has been visiting Mrs. Nimmo Old, on York Street, left Tuesday for her home at Bedford, N. C. Mrs. J. C. Marshall, Jr., of Old Point, spent Saturday in Norfolk. Lieutenant Charles B. Taylor, U. S. M. C., has returned from Chicago, where he has been for several weeks on recruiting duty. Miss Mary Lloyd, of East Orange, N. J., who is visiting friends in Petersburg, is expected in Norfolk, where she will spend several weeks. Mrs. R. W. Whitehurst has returned after spending a week at the Hampton Roads Yacht Club. Mrs. A. C. Dillingham and her guest, Mrs. Waterhouse, of Philadelphia, have gone to New York. Miss Addie Malbon and her guest, Miss Bennette Craig, of Port Arthur, Texas, left Wednesday for the National Park Seminary in Washington, after spending several days with Mrs. P. J. Malbon, in Ghent. Mrs. Harry L. Myers entertained the members of the Embroidery Club Tuesday morning at her home on Mowbray Arch. Those present were: Mrs. Kirkland, Mrs. Charles H. Wood, Miss Annie Henry, Miss Elizabeth Bowdoin, Miss Alice Old, and Miss Ruth Wilson. The club will meet next week with Miss Henry at her home on Bate Street.

Wytheville Affairs.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
WYTHEVILLE, VA., April 8.—Judge Jackson has returned from Christiansburg where for the past ten days he has been holding court for Judge Blair. Miss Lottie Hodges, of Norfolk, is the guest of Miss Willie Withers at Ingleside. Miss Ellen Brown, of the Wytheville Seminary, returned to-day from Staunton, where she was called by the death of her brother-in-law, Mr. J. Baldwin Ransom. Mrs. W. A. Gaines is quite sick at her home on Main Street. Mr. Robert Lawson and family, of Burke's Garden, have returned to their home, after a visit to relatives in town.

## SOCIETY IN RADFORD.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

RADFORD, VA., April 8.—A large audience greeted Bishop Randolph at Grace Church Wednesday night. Quite a large class was confirmed.

Miss Caperton Preston received confirmation Thursday morning at her home. Bel, being confined to the house from running a nail in her foot about ten days ago.

A little daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. R. K. Cowan Wednesday.

Miss Lizzie Nye and Mrs. J. J. Gore returned Saturday from a visit of several weeks to Norfolk and Virginia Beach. Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Smith left Wednesday for Baltimore with their son, Clarence, who will enter Johns Hopkins Hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Mark Reid entertained the Current Events Club Friday. Mrs. E. N. Woodward left Thursday for Emory to attend the funeral of Mr. Wiley Malden Friday.

Miss Alice Jones has just recovered from a severe attack of influenza. Captain W. R. Wharton and family have moved from Washington to New York city. Captain Wharton, who was formerly a citizen of Radford, holds an important position in the Census Department.

Mrs. J. T. Wright and children, Margaret and Ruby, returned Saturday from a long visit to friends in Kentucky and Tennessee.

Mr. Arthur Stevens, a student at V. M. I., spent Sunday at home. Mr. T. D. Gravatt, who was recently operated on for appendicitis, returned home Monday.

Mr. Baldwin Meyers, of Norfolk, passed through Radford Thursday en route for Asheville, to accept a position. Miss Lena Sharp, of North Carolina, was the guest of the Misses Preston from Friday till Sunday.

Caletta Cloyd and Byers, of V. P. I., spent Thursday in town. Mrs. Arthur Roberts is visiting in Richmond.

Major George Scott and Cadet Ambler Johnston, of V. P. I., spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Misses Rita and Pearl Rosenfeld entertained a few friends at progressive euchre very delightfully Thursday evening.

Miss Gertrude Venable has tendered her resignation as music teacher at Washington school, and her successor, Miss Elsie Eagle, of Bee Hill, Highland county, will begin her duties Monday.

Captain J. G. Osborne was in Marion this week attending a meeting of the Board of Visitors of the Western State Hospital.

Miss Melita Wilson, who has been at St. Luke's Hospital for a number of weeks, is expected home Sunday.

Mr. C. W. Lucas, of Bluefield, is in the city.

CHARLOTTE, N. C.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
CHARLOTTE, N. C., Apr. 8.—The most interesting social event of the past week in social circles was the reception of the literary societies at Elizabeth College Monday evening. Admission was by card and several hundred society folks availed themselves of the opportunity to meet personally the young college students of the institution. The senior class of the college acted as the receiving committee. The parlors and dining hall of the college were decorated in white and green, the colors of the literary societies, and black and gold, the college colors. The event was everything that college discussion should be, and was greatly enjoyed by the fortunate guests.

The Presbyterian College Conservatory of Music gave the last of its series of combined musical and descriptive recitals Tuesday evening. The students of the senior and junior courses took part in the recital, which was largely hit.

Major and Mrs. J. G. Baird announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary Johnson Baird, to Mr. Frank M. Davis, of Bristol, N. D. The wedding will take place in June. The announcement interests a great many people in this section of the country by reason of the popularity of the young women together with the personal worth of the young man, to whom she is pledged in this sacred relation. Major Baird is the most prominent Pythian in this State, being editor of the Pythian Knight.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Balmer, who have been spending the winter with Mrs. C. M. Bearden, have returned to their home in Richmond, Va.

Mrs. A. C. Bannan, who has been spending some time in Staunton, Va., with relatives, has returned home.

Mrs. W. W. Ward, who has gone to Danville, Va., to visit her friend, Mrs. Jones G. Pettus.

Mrs. R. G. Callum, who has been spending some time with Mrs. C. N. Evans, has returned to her home in Washington, D. C.

The Daughters of the Confederacy were entertained Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Latta C. Johnston.

Mrs. W. A. Murrill, of Charleston, West Virginia, is visiting her mother, Mrs. B. M. Wilder.

Miss Violet Alexander, who has been visiting friends in Tallahassee, Fla., returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. W. H. Day and Miss Margaret Shipp, of Raleigh, who have been guests at the home of Judge W. P. Bynum, have returned home.

Mrs. D. E. Finley, of Yorkville, S. C., is the guest of her kinswomen, the Misses Adams, North Church Street.

LEXINGTON, VA.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
LEXINGTON, VA., April 8.—At a congregational meeting of the Lexington Presbyterian Church, the congregation took action to unite with their pastory, Rev. Dr. Thornton W. Whaling, in dissolving its pastor relations in order to accept a call to the First Presbyterian Church of Dallas, Texas.

Dr. Whaling has served the Lexington church for nearly a decade. The Lexington Postoffice, McClung Patton, postmaster, shows receipts for the year ending March 31, 1905, to be \$10,650.75, an increase of more than \$1,000 over the preceding year. This amount of business is a record for the Lexington postoffice, and is a service which will be inaugurated here at no distant day.

At a meeting of Camp Frank Paxton, Sons of Confederate Veterans, of Lexington, held yesterday, Mrs. Mary P. Hargis, of Lexington, was elected sponsor for the camp, and Miss Bettie Morrison, daughter of the late Dr. B. B. Morrison, of Rockbridge Baths, maid of honor.

People in New Kent.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
NEW KENT COUNTY, VA., April 8.—Mrs. J. N. Harris has returned to her home in Richmond after spending several weeks with her friends in New Kent. Mr. Edmund Littlepage is in Richmond attending to some business to-day.

Mr. W. A. Apperson is visiting friends in Richmond.

Parsons are thrown back very much on account of so much rain.

Mrs. Kelly's school will close to-day and a dance will be given by her at White House to-night.

Miss Lucile Harris is improving, after quite a severe spell.

Mrs. J. B. Vanden is visiting her daughter in Richmond.

Rev. Mr. Hudson, of Mecklenburg, is visiting Rev. H. F. Jones, of New Kent.

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## The Waist Values We Offer

cannot be equalled in the city. These few items prove it: Dainty Persian Lawn Waist, heavily embroidered front, turn-over hemstitched collar, tucked back and front, large sleeve, with hemstitched cuff; sleeve tucked to elbow; only \$1.80. Persian Lawn Waist, surplice style, embroidered front, with five tucks, hemstitched cuff and full sleeve, \$2.10. Persian Lawn Waist, tucked and hemstitched front, tucked back, full sleeve, \$1.25. Persian Lawn Waist, with plait of embroidery, large tucks on side, gathered; five tucks on shoulder, full sleeve, tucked to elbow, \$1.25. White and Black India Silk Waists, tucked yoke, cut stitching down front, collar, shoulder and cuffs, with narrow braid to form a lace, only \$3.40. Crepe Cloth Waist, in all shades, only \$1.25. Mercerized Polka Dot Satine, in all colors, with Persian plait down front, collar and cuffs, \$1.25. Mercerized Plain Black Satin Waist, front box plait, \$1.25. Special lot of Taffeta Waists, all colors, \$2.98.

## Spring Petticoats

IN SATINES, SILKS, ETC.

Pretty Taffeta Petticoat, in all colors, accordion plaited ruffles, \$5.00; worth double. Black Wool Moreen, with knee ruffle of hemstitched and bands, only \$5.00; a splendid value. Black Satin Skirts, with three scalloped ruffles, edged with narrow white and black braid, \$2.00. Pin Dot Satine Skirt, accordion plait ruffle, \$1.00. Extra special value in Black Satine Skirt, at \$1.00 and \$1.25.

Cotton Towels To-Morrow, 30c doz., 2 for 5c.

## An Unequalled Assortment of Women's Walking and Dress Skirts.

Non-Sweat-Shop Make.

Shepherd's Plaid Skirts, made of killed plaits, trimming of bands and buttons covered in same material, panel front—\$8.50. Black Mohair, stitched to the knee and then flaring, with plaits—\$10.00. English Walking Skirt of mannish mixture, rows of stitching down seam and bottom, \$2.50. Panama Skirts, all shades, with killed plaits from knee down, \$7.50; a good value at \$12.00. Special value in Brilliantine Skirts, \$5.50.

## Splendid Values Monday, Umbrella Shawls 59c.

White, With Pink and Blue Borders.

## Mohair and Silk Suits.

Chiffon Taffeta Silk Suits, \$17.00. Black, Brown and Navy Mohair Suits, a wonderful bargain, \$10.00. Misses' Cheviot Suits, \$7.00; Eton effect.

## These Are the New Silks.

The prices are new, too. We are prepared for the spring trade, with a stock decidedly larger than we have ever before carried—an assortment that includes all the correct, novel and up-to-date weaves, colorings and effects, as well as many exclusive designs.

Sampson Lining Silks, 58c a yard. Tussah Silks, gray, pongee and white, 27 inches wide, \$1.00 a yard.

36-inch Pongee, 50c a yard. Fancy Striped, Checked and Figured Silks, 50c to \$1.00 a yard. Special value in Taffetas.

## Men's Neglige Shirts.

Large range of white, light and dark colors. This shirt is made especially for us—only 50c; best value ever offered. The best White Unlaundered Shirt in the city for 50c; hundreds have bought this great value from us. If you have not seen this shirt, come and be convinced. Gent's Night Shirt, collar and collarless, 50c. Men's Bleached Jeans Drawers, elastic seam, 50c.

## Large Size Hemstitch Towel 10c.

## Muslin Underwear.

Specially good showing of new and pretty styles in Corset Covers, Night Gowns, Chemises, Skirts, etc. Every garment properly cut and made, well sewed and offered at special prices. Nainsook Corset Cover, round neck, lace embroidery and ribbon trimmed; sizes 34 to 42; regular price 79c, now 59c. Muslin Drawers, umbrella ruffle, finished with tucks, yoke band, 25c. Cambric Night Gown, tucked yoke, with double ruffle of Hamburg, finished around sleeve with ruffle of Hamburg, 80c. Cambric Chemise, round neck, with deep yoke of tucks and Hamburg ruffle around neck and arms, 10c. Long White Cambric Skirt, with deep ruffle, Hamburg and tucks, only 59c.

## Laces.

Unusually fine quality for the price are the Valenciennes Edgings and Insertions. 20c to \$2.50 a dozen; ordinarily you would pay 25c to \$4.00 for the same thing. Plenty of sets to match. Alloyer Laces for yokes and waists, in single and double fold, 50c to \$3.00 a yard.

White Damask Table Cover, Full Size, \$1.39. Extra Heavy White Bed Spreads 98c.

## Julius Sycle & Sons,

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## Mattings.

In giving our orders for this season we made special arrangements for entirely new weaves and patterns in Japanese Mattings. The prices range from \$5.00 to \$16.00 a roll. Special value at 15c, 20c and 25c a yard.

## Floor Linen

is not a luxury. If you get the right linen it is a real economy. 16-inch Red Stripe, 23c a yard. 28-inch Red Stripe, 33c. Oil Cloth Tracking, best grade, 10c.

## White Goods.

Check Muslin, 4c a yard. Figured Cannon Cloth, 10c a yard. Corded Pique, 10c a yard. Persian Lawn, 12 1-2c, worth 17c. Long Cloth, \$1.19 a piece, worth \$1.50.

## Pearl Buttons 1c Doz.

Boltonnes, in every shade imaginable, 18c a yard. Figured Nets, also solid colors, 19c a yard. Colored, Striped and Figured Marseilles, for waists, 30c a yard. Fine Sheer Organdies, look like the ones that come from France, 12 1-2c a yard. 27-inch Figured Mohair Lustre, 19c a yard. Pink, Blue and Black and White Checked Embroidered Voile, 17c a yard. Dainty Figured Chiffon Mouseline, 25c. Black, White, Lavender and Pink Silk Mouseline, with lace flower, of solid colors and dots, only 50c. Mercerized Silk Mull, 50c a yard. London Voile, a handsome figured material, for shirt-waist suits, 12 1-2c a yard. Cotton Challies, Persian patterns, 6 1-4c a yard.

## Dress Goods.

Shower Proof Pin Check Suiting, 44 inches, only 80c. 50-inch Mohair, navy, brown and black, 75c; worth \$1.25. Fancy Mohair, small figures, 50c. Special value in Mohair, 50c, 75c and \$1.00 a yard. 44-inch Voile, all shades; \$1.50 quality, \$1.00. Silk Finished Boltonnes, 50c a yard. Crepe Finished Boltonnes, 42 inches, \$1.19 a yard.

## Ladies' Neckwear and Ruffling

Sir Walter Raleigh Collar and Cuff Ruffling, 25c and 50c a yard. Pink, Blue, Lavender and Green Neck Ruffling, 25c a yard. Hemstitched Collar and Cuff Sets, 12 1-2c. Pique Sets of Collar and Cuffs, for Eton or coats; something entirely new, 25c.

## There is Grace, Beauty and Style in the American Lady Corset.

This corset gives to the figure the style necessary for the present mode of dress. There is a shape for every figure, and if you have failed to be properly fitted with an American Lady Corset it is because you did not get the model made for your particular figure. Come and see what style you should wear for perfect comfort and elegance. Prices to suit all, from \$1.00 to \$3.50. Thompson's Gossie Fitting Corsets, 75c. Ferris Waists, 50c, 75c and \$1.00. Patent Waists for boys and girls, 25c.

## Men's 50c Neckwear at 25c.

Regular 50c Four-in-Hand Ties, plain, black, white and fancy, 25c each.

## Special Values in Gents' Purses and Pocket Books, 10c to \$1.00.

## Gloves,

Kayser Lisle Gloves, white and black, 25c. Kayser Guaranteed Silk Gloves, 50c, 75c and \$1.00; black, white, grays, tan and pongee. Kayser Wash Gloves, 50c and 75c.

## Basement Bargains.

Figured Denim, 12 1-2c. Extra Quality Feather Tick, 12 1-2c a yard. Indigo Blue Prints, 2c a yard. Blue, Brown, Gray and Green Linen, for suits, 10c. Extra quality Plain Brown Linen, 15c a yard. Yard Wide Percalines, 6 1-4c a yard. Calcutta Prints, new blue, 5c a yard. New Seersucker Gingham, for wash petticoats, 12 1-2c a yard. Feather Pillows, 50c, worth 75c. Full line of Pillow Cases, Bolster Cases, in plain and hemstitched.

## New Idea Patterns 10c. New Idea Magazine 5c.

In ordering Patterns or Fashion Sheets, always remit postage—2c.

## Veilings.

You can't do better than select the Easter veil now. The French importations have all arrived, and the styles are more varied than they have been. Fancy Mesh Veil, 25c a yard. Chiffon Veils, blue, brown, white and black, 25c. New Look Green, Red Chiffon Veiling, 50c. Herant Veiling, 45 inches wide, all silk, extra heavy, \$2.75 a yard, worth \$3.50.

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